ONE CHOICE WON . ON GETAWAY DAY

Braziallo Landed Second Benning Handicap.

VICTOR A HORSE OF QUALITY

Best Track, Best Horses, and Best Crowd of Season Marked Last Day.

Samuel Ross' good three-year-old Gra ziallo, a bay son of Rappallo-Graziosa, won the star feature of the Washington spring meeting at Benning yesterday

the Benning Spring Handicap, the first to make the Benning meetings popular of which was captured by Mr. Schulz's with horsemen and public than any imfilly. Shrine. Graziallo was not a start opening day's handicap, and Meeting Highly Successful, Shrine failed to answer the call it yesterday's race. In place of Shrine yesterday's race. In place of Shrine Mr. Schulz sent his six-year-old Hono

There were only seven starters in the race, but the field was one of good quality, the best horses at the track being among the number. W. P. Burch started his crack sprinter Castalian for the first time, and reports of his good work. first time, and reports of his good work, together with his well-known sprinting abilities, caused him to be made the favorite in the race. He opened at 2 to and was backed down a point. Grazialle opened at 4 and went back to 5. Stroll thers fancied.

Graziallo Easily Best.

easily the best, though Wonderly had days of the 1903 meeting. The list of to shake the colt up in the last fur-long. Castalian and Graziallo set a follows: fast pace to the big turn, and then Castallan faltered. Graziallo, running true and strong, stuck gamely to his work, and respending nobly to the urging, came away and won by three

The gallant little Briarthorpe, who has shown on more than one occasion that he is a greatly improved race horse

not up to a bruising contest.

Castalian evidently possesses all the speed that carried him to the front in a number of good races last year, and if he trains on it will take a mighty good sprinter to beat him this year.

Graziallo's victory was so impressive that he must now be regarded as a three-year-old of some quality. He was conceding weight to all the horses in the race, under the scale, and he showed every quality of a good, game thoroughbred. If he continues to improve as he has since his first effort at Benning this spring, Mr. Ross will hold a strong hand in some of the early three-year-old stakes of the season. The owner of Graziallo was delighted at his coit's victory, and was the recipient of many hearty congratulations.

Splendid Card.

The card for the closing day was by ar the best of the meeting, and the atendance equaled, if it did not surpass n numbers, any gethering this spring.

Wasterman, Tribes Hill, Ascension, Conkiler, Tennester, and the excellent that the control of the season, although the public migh have been better satisfied had a greate

the second choice, Dalliance, had come croppers.

John E. Madden also furnished a bit this afternoon. The line-up: Eugene of surprise, when his two-year-old Wild Irishman captured the baby race. The claimant was a strong choice in the race but he had be content with third place. Wild Irishman won comfortably, white The Claimant was beaten by Mirthless, a colt from the stable of T. Hitchcock, jr.

The Summaries.

The Smart Set club will be and the Smart Set club will be will be and the Smart Set club will be first game with the Terrible Turks a. The sum exist of cold senators' ground, at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The line-up: Eugene Boone, catcher; Daniel Williams, pitch-rishman captured the baby race. The boone, catcher; Daniel Williams, pitch-rishman was beaten by will be seen a second base; John Anderson, third base; William Herbert, shortstop; ers, center field; Albert Dyson, right field. Challenges wanted from teams averaging sixteen to seventeen years. Address Captain Herbert, 1219 Wylie Street northeast.

The Summaries.

First race—Seven furlongs. Princelet, 162 (Cormack), 4 to 1, won; John F. Abearn, 106 (Burns), 8 to 1, second; Love Note, 167 (Salling), 4 to 1, third. Time, 129.

Second race—Five furlongs. Wild Irishman, 162 (G. Thompson), 7 to 1, won; Mithitens, 59 (Henderson), 10 to 1, second; The Caimant, 104 (Burns), 7 to 16, third. Time, 1204.

Third race—Benning Spring Handicap; seven furlongs. Graziallo, 111 (Wonderly), 4 to 1, won; Briarthorpe, 103 (McCue), 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:28 4-5.

Fourth race—Steeplechase; about two miles. Charles O'Malley, 148 (Heider), 12 to 1, won; Twilight, 157 (Connolly), 15 to 1, third. Time, 4:12 2-5.

Fifth race—Seven furlongs. Cantaloupe, 38 (Cormack), 2 to 1, won; Tide, 39 (D. O'Connor), 4 to 1, second; Sweet Jane, 141 (T. Dean), 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:23 to 1, won; Tide, 39 (D. O'Connor), 4 to 1, second; Sweet Jane, 141 (T. Dean), 15 to 1, third. Time

Sixth race—One mile and seventy rards. Setauket, 110 (Shaw), 11 to 5, won; James F., 108 (Cormack), 8 to 5, econd; Trapezist, 110 (Burns), 9 to 2, hird, Time, 1:45 2-5.

Favorites Captured Majority of Purses

First Choices Landed 60 Out of 115 Races, the Best Average on Eastern Tracks for Years---Griffin Heads Winners.

At the Benning meeting, which ended yesterday, 115 races were run, and of this number 60 were captured by the

This is probably the best average made on any of the Eastern tracks for several years. Forty per cent of winning favorites is regarded as an unusually large number, but at Benning more than 50 Griffin. H. Griffin. H. T. Griff per cent of the favorites were success-

This was due in a measure to the new Columbia Course, which is without doubt one of the best stretches of racing The race was the second division of ground in the East. It has done more provement that could have been made.

> The meeting has been an exceedingly successful one, the attendance showing an increase nearly every day. As a rule

Graziallo's victory in the handicap ut 4 and went back to 5. Stroll-blulu, and Briarthorpe were the second on the list of winning owners, with a total of \$3.845 to its credit. H.

T. Griffin heads the list with \$3,955. Three hundred horses contested in the When it came to racing Graziallo was 115 races, as against 279 in the nineteen

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The following, ran either second or third for a total of amounts named: G. A. Truitt, \$505; John Baker, \$450; A. C. McCafferty, \$450; T. Kiley, \$275; M. T. Danaher, \$250; P. M. Nagle, \$250; C. C. Smithson, \$250; J. J. Mackessey, \$225; S. F. Hyman, \$225; P. M. Burch, \$200; James Kerr, \$200; H. K. Marshall, \$200; P. Gallagher, \$300; J. W. Colt, \$100; C. Anderson, \$150; R. W. Nelson, \$150; C. Anderson, \$150; R. W. Nelson, \$150; C. R. Randolph, \$150; J. H. Slack, \$150; Clarence Moore, \$125; M. Daly, \$100; T. L. Evans, \$100; J. S. Hoy, \$200; Andrew Miller, \$100; J. McLaughlin, jr., \$100; E. Utterback, \$100, and fifteen withers at amounts at less than \$100 each

Gossip of Stable and Paddock

Washington horse lovers are greatly while Conkling, Tribes Hill, and Ascending the outcome of the Carter sion are expected to show up well. Handicap at Aqueduct this afternoon

Peter Paul made many friends by the manner in which he captured the only two races in which he started, and the Bradley three-year-old will carry most of the money that is bet by Washing-

Spring also has many friends who be

A good track and the excellent card offered, with the resulting fine sport made the day the most interesting of the most inter

Peter Paul and Spring, however, are the fancied ones among local horsemen, but Masterman will also have friend's,

AMATEUR BASEBALL.

The Smart Set club will open their

John E. Madden, probably the best known turfman represented at the Benring meeting, will remain at the Washington course for ten days or more. He has a big string of thoroughbreds in his barn, including thirty two-year-olds and he desires to avoid the rush that always attends the shipment of horses away from a track.

Mr. Madden will not begin his Eastern ing opens, and by that time he will have most of his horses ready to race.

Graziallo ran the seven furlongs in the handicap in the fast time of 1:28 4-5, a remarkably good performance, considering the condition of the track, which was no means fast. The track record for this distance is 1:28, made by J. E. Drake's High Chancellor in the Columbia Handicap last fall when the track was fast, and some idea of Grazialio's good showing may be gained by considering the time. The fractional time of the race was 0:114-5; 0:234-5, 0:362-5; 0:49; 1:284-5.

Information for Fishermen

MORE CHANCES BUREAUS ROOTED

Three New Diamonds Will Be Given.

SHOULD ORGANIZE AT ONCE

Ball Playing to Be Permitted on Ellipse South of White House-Form Boys' League.

Ball playing is to be permitted on the llipse south of the White House, under egulations made public today by Brig. ien, Alexander Mackenzie, Chief of En-

gineers.
Three diamonds have been laid out to which playing will be confined. Only Three diamonds have been laid out to which playing will be confined. Only organizations having permits from Colonel Symons will be allowed on the grounds. Playing will be permitted from noon until half an hour after sunset daily, in favorable weather only.

No Sunday games will be permitted. All clubs are to furnish their own bases. Crowds will not be tolerated on the grounds when games are not in progress.

Suggestion Appreciated.

This gives the amateurs another hance, for which they are duly grate-ul. It was announced yesterday that hiee diamonds would be laid off in the

three diamonds would be laid off in the Monument lot, and The Times suggested that steps be taken at once to form leagues based on the average age of the teams. The value of the suggestion was appreciated by all interested in clean, healthy sport for boys, and a number of letters commending the idea have been received by the sporting department of the paper.

Now that the new fields are to be thrown open, the arguments for the formation of the leagues are doubled. Six good diamonds will give ample opportunity for the carrying out of regular schedules without overcrowding of doing an injustice to independent nines which, for various reasons, may not be able to John any regular organization.

A meeting of the various amateur teams, or their captains, should be called at once to divide the teams into classes and arrange schedules. If the boys get together and go about the thing systematically there will be offers of pennants and other inducements to win the championships that will be a strong incentive to good playing and good behavior on the public grounds.

Went to Opening Game in Automobile and Had for Slogan, "Never

Say Die!"

One of the features of the opening day of the baseball season at the Seventh Street Grounds was the double-decker utomobile, in which were thirty-slx hot enthusiasts from the Bureau of Engraving and Printing.

The Bureau contingent was demon-strative in its rooting and put life in the game from the time it arrived until the last man was out. "Never say-die!" was the slogan of the Bureaus, and they cheered as lustily when the Athletics were piling up runs as if the Senators

were winning by a score of 1 to θ in a twelve-inning contest.

When their voices gave out the dyedin-the-wool sports from the Bureau gave expression to their sentiments with horns, rattles, and other noise-creating devices. On their way back from the grounds they stopped at the restaurant of William Dietz, on Pennsylvania Ave-nue, near Twelfth Street, and had lunch and refreshments. Those in the party

were:
J. Murphy, Frank Smith, C. Drucken
Miller, A. Hess, Charley Lord, Jack
Hardy, Joe Hardy, Lew Graves, J.
Blumer, W. McCauley, F. Springmeyer,
J. Rosenbaum, T. Hazey, George Land,
George Cook, T. McCabe, Tom Lavender, Tom Roland, W. Maloy, the
"Bugler;" Jack Orspada, Joe Johnson,
William Morrison, William Hutton,
Fred Wagner, "Buddy" Cropley, Sam
Hinden, Lew Carroll, Harry Walsh,
"Happy" Von der Lehr, "Chicot" Lopez
Quesada, Al Young, Frank Shacfer, Eddie Geneoa, Max Keiso, and Barney Gillen.

COMPANY FLAGS GIVEN TO HIGH SCHOOL CADETS

Companies E and F of the Busine High School were each presented with a beautiful company flag yesterday by the young women of the senior class of

the young women of the senior class of that school. Principal Davis presided at the presentation ceremony, which took place in the assembly room at 9:30 o'clock.

Miss Edna Shinn presented the flags, that for Company E being received by Capt. E. W. Bond and that for Company F by Capt. Theodore P. Heap.

ALEXANDRIA NEWS NOTES

ALEXANDRIA, Va., April 16. - The | IN CORPORATION COURT. ase of Richard Burnett and Henry Wrenn, charged with having in their possession goods alleged to have been stolen, attracted quite a crowd to the police court this morning, where the case was brought up for a preliminary trial before Police Justice Caton.

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Several days ago information was received by the police that cars at the railway yards in this city had been FAIRS AND BAZAAR. entered and robbed of a large quantity of shoes, toilet articles, etc. Suspicion pointed to a negro named Brown, and a search was made for him. While engaged in the search for Brown, Police men Lyles and Arrington went to the second-hand store kept by Wrenn, near the Stone Bridge, and were told by Wrenn that he had bought some goods from Brown. These goods Wrenn promised to bring down to the police station

that night. Later on Wrenn and Burnett were ar-rested, charged with receiving stolen goods. They were released at a term of

In the corporation court, Judge Barwas transacted:

A final decree was entered in the case of Lucy C. Stuart vs. Albert Stuart; a

The Girls' Friendly Society of Christ Church will hold a fair next Friday afternoon from 4 to 9 o'clock at Christ nurch parish hall.

The fair of the Daughters' of America at Odd Fellows Hall, which has been in progress since Monday night, is attracting large crowds. The bazaar being held by the ladies of St. Mary's Church at Lyceum Hall con-tinues to be an attraction for a number of Alexandrians.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

A large number of Knights of Columthe police court, but were arrested later and brought for trial this morning. The terday visited Alexandria, and were witnesses in the case were Policemen Lyles, Arrington, Smith, Allen, Lieutenant Smith, and Messrs, Preston and Joyce. The evidence was voluminous, and the examination lasted all the

BASEBALL BOWLING RACING ATHLETICS ORTH WILL PITCH

and Fans Will Watch His Performance Closely.

grounds this afternoon. Case Patten of tied for a place in the National Guard Al Orth will be on the slab for the League, have decided to play the tie off Senators, and Kittredge will do the receiving. The inimitable Rube Waddell Armory tonight at 8:30 o'clock. will serve them up for the Athletics.

Rube has been behaving himself recently and keeping quiet. It is soon time for him to do something out of the ordinary, and the fans will no doubt flock to the park this afternoon with that expectation.

The mimmatic Rube Wadden with a firmory tonight at 8:30 o clock.

The game promises to be an interesting one, as the last time these teams met it required five minutes extra play to decide the game.

Captains Herbert and Heidenreicht have placed their men to the best advantage, and both teams have been practicing hard recently.

BASKETBALL TIE TO BE PLAYED OFF TONIGHT

Festive Rube Is Due to Break Loose Hearst Rifles and National Rifles Will Settle Question of Supremacy at Center Market Armory.

Washington and Philadelphia will The Hearst Rifles and the National again meet at the Seventh Street Rifles Cadets basketball teams, being

Allegheny, Pa., June 11, 1903.

BOILS

PYRAMIDS OF PAIN

Boils show the blood is in a riotous, feverish condition, or that it has grown too weak and to be condition. sluggish to throw off the bodily impurities, which then concentrate at some spot, and a carbuncle or boil is the result. To one already enfeebled by disease, boils seem to come with more frequency, causing the intensest pain and greatest danger to

the already weak and debilitated sufferer. All skin eruptions, from the sometimes fatal carbuncle to the spiteful little cat-boil, are caused by bad blood, and the only way to avoid or get permanently rid of them is to purify and build up the deteriorated, polluted blood, and counteract the humors and poisons; and nothing will do this so quickly and thoroughly as S. S., which is the acknowledged king of blood purifiers and greatest of all tonics. Where the blood has become impoverished and is poor and thin,

no medicine acts so promptly in building up and restoring its richness, purity and strength. The time to cure a boil is before it develops, when it is in a state of incubation or formation in the blood; for boils are, after all, only the impurities and poisons bubbling up through the skin, and this will continue in most to see the second of the skin, and this will continue in the skin, and this will continue in the skin, and this will continue in the skin, and the skin, and this will continue in the skin, and this will continue in the skin, and the skin, and this will continue in the skin, and the skin and the skin, and the skin and promptly in building up this will continue in you. spite of poulticing and

lancing till the blood gets rid of its accumulated poison. The way to stop boils is to attack them in the blood, and this is what S. S. S. does. All danger of boils is past when the blood has been tho roughly purified and the system cleansed of all morbid, impure matter. If you are subject to boils, then the same cause that produced them last season will do so this, and the sooner you begin to

put your blood and system in good order the better the chance of going through the spring and summer season without boils or other painful and irritating skin eruptions. S. S. S. is guaranteed purely vegetable, and can be taken with perfect safety by

old and young, and without harm to the most delicate constitution. It is mild and pleasant in its action, and unequaled as a cure for boils and kindred eruptions. Write us if you would like medical THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

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ress. Seats now on sale for April 25 week—Digby dell, Mile. Capell, etc. Next Sunday Eve—Symphony Concert, 25c, 50c, Lafayette Opera House.

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